Subject: RE: Damage to Vermont Medians

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#### Aram

One of my staff informed me today this happened last Sunday morning as they were walking to work. Apparently the police were called as the car came to a stop on the Vermont Place median. lâm told the car was towed away. Could have been a DUI.

There should be a police report filed with the drivers name who hopefully has insurance to bill and pay for the repairs.

Vaya con Dios,

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Subject: Re: Damage to Vermont Medians

Hi Carlos and Robert,

Please see the email below from Nicole. It appears 2 of the medians on Vermont have been vandalized (one in front of Hollywood Hotel, the other in front of Hollywood Presbyterian).

How can we get these fixed?

Thanks

On Wed, Mar 1, 2017 at 2:17 PM, Shahenian, Nicole < Nicole@hollywoodchamber.net > wrote:

Hi Aram! Hope all is well.

I have been receiving reports from our EHBID Maintenance crews that two of our newly installed medians are damaged. The first median is the one in front of Hollywood Presbyterian Hospital and the second is near the

Hollywood Hotel. I am awaiting photographs of the damage and will send on to you once I receive them.

It appears that a car drove through each. The damage looks to be intentional, as the point of entry on each median is the same.

- 1) The car ran over the irrigation valve boxes and destroyed them. There appears to be damage underneath to the system which should be repaired asap.
- 2) The cages and backflow devices are destroyed.
- 3) There is one tree broken on one of the medians.
- 4) Plants are also ruined on both medians.

I am not sure what the next steps are to having the medians repaired. Is there a warranty covering the work that was done by the City originally? Do I reach out to Carlos at LADOT to proceed? Any advice would be greatly appreciated.

Thanks so much!

Warmest Regards,

Nicole Shahenian

Please note, the Chamber has recently moved offices! Please be sure to update your records with our new address below!

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